



Community-Focused Court Outreach Programs and Activities, 2003

✦ Court Visit Program, SLO Courthouse

- 1 ½ - 2 ½ hour program designed for grades 4th –12th and adult groups.
- Tour courthouse, view trial, presentations by a judge, assistant DA, and public defender.
- Thursdays and Fridays, after 9:30 am.
- Contact Cathi Dockstader, Jury Services Supervisor, 781-5463, to arrange a visit.

✦ CourtTalk Speakers Bureau

- Judges and other judicial officers, court employees, and District Attorneys available for presentations to your classes or other interested groups.
- Wide variety of topics available; Q & A format.
- Contact Dale Magee, 462-1986, to arrange.

✦ Pre-file Mediation

- Low cost mediation available for small claims and limited civil cases before filing suit.
- Less expensive and timelier resolution than filing a suit.
- Attorneys and trained community members mediate.
- Sponsored by the Court, Bar Association and Creative Mediation Services.
- Spanish-speaking mediators available.
- Contact Creative Mediation Services, 549-0442.

✦ Children's Waiting Room

- Space available for children (ages 3-6) of parents/guardians doing business at the court.
- Monday – Friday, 7:30 am – 5:15 pm.
- No cost.
- 594-1752 for more info.